



Parkfield Primary School

Anti-Litter Policy

Parkfield Primary School seeks to be a litter free area where pupils, staff and visitors alike respect the school buildings and surrounding environment. We strive to teach respect both for the environment and for the possessions of others through the curriculum and ethos of the school.

Parkfield Primary School aims to:

- Enforce the code of practice for the school (which reminds everyone not to drop litter and to respect the work and belongings of others)
- Promote respect for the environment and belongings of others (through the taught curriculum and through assemblies).

School Policies and practice

All school policies promote respect and care for the school, community and global environment.

Curriculum

Parkfield Primary School provides a broad and balanced curriculum for all pupils. We value the environment, both natural and manmade. On the basis of these values, we:

- accept our responsibility to maintain a sustainable environment for future generations
- understand the place of human beings within nature
- understand our responsibilities for other species
- preserve balance and diversity in nature wherever possible
- preserve areas of beauty and interest for future generations
- repair, wherever possible, habitats damaged by human development and other means.

Teaching and learning

Parkfield Primary School provides teaching and learning opportunities which support pupils so they are able to discuss and understand the anti-social effects of littering and vandalism. Pupils are engaged in practical work to foster their understanding of the impact of this anti-social behaviour and the school works to promote litter free communities. The link between caring for and respecting the world we live in is made through all activities.

The school is a registered Eco-School and, and as such litter picks are regularly carried out within the school grounds.

Responsibilities

It is the responsibility of the whole school community to work together to keep the school and grounds litter free. The Eco-team will report on the condition of grounds and buildings fortnightly as part of ongoing Eco-Schools meetings.

Review of the Anti Littering Policy

The Anti Littering Policy shall be reviewed regularly. As part of the review process all members of the school community will be consulted.